



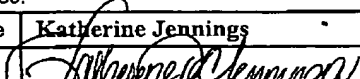
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1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Final Office Action dated August 23, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendment and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are

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hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0221.